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**Subject**: For Alex Review: OPP Listserv for today if possible re: Neonicotinoids

Hi Alex, I understand we have re-opened the comment period for the PID for neonicotinoids. If possible, with your approval, I'd like to get this listsery out today/soon as this docket has done live. -Allison

## **EPA Reopens Public Comment Period on Proposed Interim Decisions for Neonicotinoids**

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is reopening the public comment period for 30 days on the proposed interim decisions for the neonicotinoids acetamiprid, clothianidin, dinotefuran, imidacloprid, and thiamethoxam.

EPA is taking this action in response to requests submitted by stakeholders seeking an extension. Upon publication of the Federal Register notice, EPA invites comments on the proposed interim decisions for 30 days. After carefully considering public input, EPA will issue the interim decisions.

EPA first announced availability of the proposed interim decisions for the neonicotinoid pesticides on Jan. 30, 2020. The proposed interim decisions contain new measures to reduce potential ecological risks, particularly to pollinators and aquatic invertebrates, and to protect public health.

Comments are accepted in docket EPA-HQ-OPP-2017-0750 at <a href="www.regulations.gov">www.regulations.gov</a>. More information available on EPA's <a href="proposed interim decisions">proposed interim decisions</a> for neonicotinoids.

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